

ACTS AND RESOLVES

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STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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body politic by the name of the Readfield Mutual Fire Insurance CHAP. 270. Company, for the purpose of insuring in the town of Readfield Corporate only, their respective dwelling-houses, stores, shops, barns and other buildings, household furniture, merchandize and other property, the contents of any building in said town, against loss or damage by fire, whether the same happen by accident, lightning or by any other means, excepting that of design in the insured, and may May hold real and personal purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may be necessary estate. to effect the object of this association, and may sell and convey the same at pleasure.

SECT. 2. They may make, establish and put in execution such By-laws. by-laws, not contrary to the laws of the state, as may seem necessary or convenient for the regulation and management of their affairs, and do and execute all such acts as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes intended by this act.

SECT. 3. The first meeting may be called by any three persons mentioned in this act, by posting up in four public and conspicuous places in said Readfield, notice of the time, place, and the business to be acted upon at said meeting, at least ten days before such meeting, at which time and place the members present may elect all needful officers, fix their compensation and manage their affairs, in any legal manner, not repugnant to the laws of the state, relating to such companies.

SECT. 4. This act shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 10, 1859.]

Chapter 270.

An act to incorporate the Windham Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Thomas Mayberry, Charles Jones, A. H. Purinton, S. Corporators. SECT. 1. M. Baker, Henry H. Boody, Jeremiah Hawks, Hall Staples, Jason Hanson, William Bacon and William Silla, and their associates and all others who may become members of said company in manner herein prescribed, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Windham Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for Corporate the purpose of insuring in the town of Windham only, their respective dwelling-houses, stores, barns and other buildings, household furniture, merchandize and other personal property, against loss or

name.

First meeting, how called.

Officers, election of, &c.

name.

PORTLAND KEROSENE OIL COMPANY. damage by fire, whether the same happen by accident, lightning or

by any other means, excepting that of design in the insured, and

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may purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may be May hold real and personal necessary to effect the object of their association, and the same may estate.

By-laws.

sell and convey at pleasure. SECT. 2. Said company may make, establish and put in execution such by-laws, not contrary to the laws of the state, as may seem necessary or convenient for the regulation and management of their affairs, and do and execute all such acts as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes intended by this act.

SECT. 3. The first meeting may be called by any three persons First meeting, named in this act, by posting up in four public places in said Windham, notice of the time and place at least ten days before such meeting, at which the members present may elect all needful officers, fix their compensation and manage their own affairs in any way not repugnant to the general laws of this state, relating to such companies.

[Approved February 15, 1859.]

Chapter 271.

An act to incorporate the Portland Kerosene Oil Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Francis Macdonald, Saint John Smith, John B. Brown, SECT. 1. James B. Cahoon and Philip H. Brown, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Portland Kerosene Oil Company, for the purpose of manufacturing oil of every kind and description, at Portland, Cape Elizabeth or Westbrook, in the county of Cumberland, with power by that name to sue and be sued, use a common seal, and have all the privileges and powers, and be subject to all the liabilities and requirements granted or required by the laws of the state.

SECT. 2. The said corporation may purchase and hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars with full power to manage and dispose of the same.

Any two of the person named in this act may call the Sect. 3. first meeting of said corporation, at such time and place as they may see fit, by giving notice of the same for seven days successively in some newspaper published in Portland, for the purpose of organizing said corporation.

Officers, election of, &o.

how called,

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

May hold real and personal estate.

First meeting, how called.

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